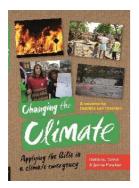
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Changing the Climate Applying the Bible in a climate emergency Debbie Hawker, David Hawker, Jamie Hawker

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Pre-publication praise has been heaped on this new title from the Hawker family. Written to help engage families and churches with the Bible and motivate them to take action on climate change, the Hawkers' key purpose is

to show that ordinary people can make a difference in tackling the climate emergency we all face. The book includes young people's voices from around the world and offers clear, Bible-based action points, with the aim of challenging readers of all ages to act on the issue of climate justice.

Generations working together

'A generation of young people are passionate about the climate,' write the Hawkers in their Preface: 'We want to help them to be passionate about the Bible too, by showing what the Bible says about creation care. We believe that everyone needs to know about climate change and that it's useful to know what the Bible has to say about it. *Changing the Climate* refers to every book in the Bible. Can you spot them all?'

Praise for Changing the Climate

'I wish this book had been available when my children were younger! It's wise and informative yet wonderfully easy to read. It moves from the biblical to the practical, the local to the global, making the complex simple and succeeding in being both deeply challenging yet also life-affirming and hope-giving.' *Revd Dr Dave Bookless, director of theology, A Rocha International and author of* Planetwise

'This is one of the best and most accessible books I have read on why Christians should care about climate change, and what we can do about it. This is a book to be read and shared with your family, friends and church.' *Caroline Pomeroy, director, Climate Stewards*

About the authors

The Hawkers are a Christian family who are taking action for climate justice. Psychologists Debbie and David Hawker work with Tearfund and other campaign organisations. Their teenage son Jamie also campaigns on climate issues and is part of the 'Green Agents of Change' initiative within the Methodist Church. For more information, click <u>here</u>.

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